# Alexandria Gazette

THURSDAY EVENING, FEBR'Y. 27.

THE DISCOVERY OF MATCHES.-The story of this discovery has been told by Mr. Holden himself in the House of Commons before a select committee appointed to inquire into the working of the Patent laws. We cannot do better, therefore, than give it in his cwn words: "I began as an inventor on a very small scale," said Mr. Holden, in the course of his evidence. "For what I know, I was the first inventor of lucifer matches; but it was the result of a happy thought. In the morning I used to get up at 4 o'clock in order to pursue my studies, and I used at that time the flint and steel, in the use of which I found very great inconvenience. I gave lectures in chemistry at the time at a very large academy. Of course I knew, as other chemists did, the explosive material that was necessary in order to produce instantaneous light; but it was very difficult to obtain a light on wood by that explosive material, and the idea occurred to me to put under the explosive mixture sulphur. fore, than give it in his cwn words: "I began as that explosive material, and the idea occurred to me to put under the explosive mixture sulphur. I did that, and published it in my next lecture, and showed it. There was a young man in the room whose father was a chemist in London, and he immediately wrote to his father in London, and the interest of the result of the room. donaboutit, and shortly afterward lucifer matches were issued to the world. I believe that was the first occasion that we had the present lucifer match, and it was one of those inventions that match, and it was one of those inventions that some people think ought not to be protected by a patent. I think that if all inventions were like that, or if we could distinguish one from the other, the principle might hold good. If all inventions were ascertained and carried out into practice with as much facility as in this case, no one would perhaps think of taking out a patent. It was urged to go and take out a patent immediwas urged to go and take out a patent immediately; but I thought it was so small a matter, and it cost me so little labor, that I did not think it proper to go and get a petent, otherwise I have no doubt it would have been very profitsble"-London Society

THE GROTESQUE IN JEWELRY,-Novelties in jewelry are increasing in number. In Wallack's Theatre recently a lizard of gleaming colors twisted, equirmed and wiggled on a bow on the head of a young lady. A lady in Paris wears on her hat a dancing skeleton, made of white enamel, daugling from a gelden gibbet. Rats walking on gold gridirons, green worms on chameled leaves, two monkeys struggling for a pearl aut, and skeletons in armor and under umbrellas are scart pios for ladies.

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With the coming year all the long tried and improved methods of making a standard news-

paper will be continued with such additional facilities as past experience justifies the proprietor in believing will add to the capacity of the Gazette to serve its readers.

The news of the National Capital will be carefully looked after. The year 1879 will see the control of both branches of Congress returned to the Democratic Conservative party, and this section of the country, so unjustly dealt with for many years, may look to see fairer measures inaugurated. Since the seat of the Federal gov-ernment was established in Washington the Gazette has never been without a full represent ation in the corps of correspondents there, and especial pains will be taken this year that everything of interest, especially such matters as have a special reference to Virginia, shall be promptly and fully reported. The proceedings of the Legislative, Executive or Judicial Departments of the Government will find their earliest record in the columns of the Gazette.

Its Richmond correspondence will be unusually attractive—full in everything that concerns our local interests, faithful in all things, trench-

ant and graphic.

The record of events in the State of Virginia will be fully kept up, but to the intelligence of that section of the Commonwealth which nature has bound to Alexandria by the curvature of its mountains or the courses of its rivers, as well as that portion linked to us by the iron bands of railways, the Gazette will be especially and assiduously devoted.

The Business and Commercial columns of the

Gazette will be filled with the earliest and most exact commercial news, edited with such painstaking care as will render an error, where even slight errors are dangerous, impossible. The Cattle Markets of all the leading points of

the world whose rates affect this market will be quoted, and regular statements of the Baltimere Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria sales of cattle will appear.

The Flour, Grain and Produce movements will be noted daily, and the sales of the Alexanandria and neighboring markets given with ac-curacy and dispatch. The Grocery and other markets will receive constant attention, and the money or stack markets of the country epitomized for its columns, full devails being given as to all stocks, &c., which find investors in this section of the country.

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#### Opening and Closing of the Mails. CLOSING.

Washington, D. C., North and Northeastern mails 12 m. and 8 30 p. m.
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Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virgin a, (through mail) 6 00 a. m.
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lon 8 80 s. m. Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 3 30 p. m. Office Hours-Office opens at 8 30 a. m., and

closes at 7 00 p. m. Sunday Hours-Office opens at 8 45 a. m., and closes at 30 s. m.

NEW GUODS-We received to-day (Tuesday, the 18th,) a choice line of all woo BUNTINGS for rebruary sales.

D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. H. B. Hoomes. feb 18 INSTORE—another new lot of small sugar cured HAMS, breakfast BACON, &c., for sale low by HARMON &SMITH, Feed and Commission Merchants, Cor. Prince and Royal Sts.

AUCTION SALES.

OMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND IN
FAIRFAX COUNTY.
Pursuant to the several decrees rendered in
the suit of Kincheloe's heirs vs. Deniel Kincheloe's adm'r., I will, on MONDAY, the 17th day of March, 1879, (Court day) sell to the highest bidder those TWO CERTAIN TRACTS OF LAND, being part of the real estate of which the late Dariel Kincheloe died seized, containing respectively 75 acres and 1921 acres. The smaller of these tracts has a COMFORTABLE DWELLING HOUSE with the average of smaller of these tracts has a COMFORTABLE DWELLING HOUSE, with the usual out-buildings; the other is without improvements, but has an abundance of wood.

Terms of sale, as directed by the decree of

November term, 1863: Cnetenth of the purchase money in hand on the day of sale; the residue in three equal instalments at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good security, the title to be retained until

the last payment is made.
THOMAS MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale. Fairfax county, feb 15-w4w

COMMISSIONER'S SALE—The undersigned, Commissioner, appointed by the Circuit Court of Fairfax in the suit of Hunter vs. Bates, will offer at public sale, on MONDAY, the 17th of March, 1879, at Fairfax C. H., Va., at noon, before the Court House door, the FARM of which Edward L. Bates died seized, situate in the southern part of Fairfax, and immediately. the southern part of Fairfax, and immediately contiguous to tidewater. It is estimated to contain 3524 acres, and from its location is very desirable. It has upon it a LARGE BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, now needing repairs, is well timbered and affords a fine opportunity for speculation.

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H. W. THOMAS, Comm'r.

Fairfax county, fab 10-wis

SALE OF LAND NEAR CLIFTON, IN FAIRFAX COUNTY.

Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county in the suit of Kinchelee vs. Hickey, &c. entered at November term. 1875, I shall, on MONDAY, the 17th day of March, 1879, (Court day) sell to the highest bidder, that certain LOT OK PARCEL OF LAND allotted to the cetate of Mary Kincheloe, and purchased at a former sale by J. S. Otis, containing 58 acres. This land lies contiguous to the depot,

and is susceptible of improvement. There has been put up on this land several cabins. Terms of Salo-Enough cash to pay costs and expenses of sale and the amount for which the former purchaser is in default, (to be made known on day of sale) and the residue in one and two years, equal payments, to bear interest from day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and retention of title until the last payment is made. THOMAS MOORE, Com. of Sale.

Fairfax county, feb 15-w4w

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND—By virtue
of a decree of the Circuit Court of Westmoreland county, as trustee in a deed to me exceuted by John Critcher, of record in the office
of the clerk of said county, I will offer at public
auction, on the premises, on SATURDAY, the
5th day of April, 1879, at noon, at the dwelling
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POPE'S CREEK, being in the upper part of
the aforesaid county, and lying on the Potomac
river, containing about SIXTEEN HUNDRED
ACRES. And should this land not bring an
amount sufficient to pay the debts secured by
said deed, as ascertained by the court, costs of
suit and expenses of sale, I will then offer that
portion of the original tract contracted to be sold

portion of the original tract contracted to be sold by Critcher to Muller.

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Ing as trustee, warranty is special.

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K. L. T. BEALE, Trustee.

Westmoreland co., jan 30-wts

#### LEGAL NOTICES.

IN ADMIRALTY-In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia. Albert Bangs VE. The schooner "Annie Bell." )
Whereas the said libelant has filed a libel set-

ting forth that he is a mariner on board the said schooner, and has served as such since the 6th day of June, 1578, at the rate of \$15 per month, the wages being due and payable for all that period; and by virtue of process issued thereon the said schooner "Annie Beil" has been seized by the Marshal of the said District, which processis returned to the 3th day of April 1879. And returnable on the 31 day of April, 1879. And whereas the said libel prays the usual process and monition of the court; that all persons in-terested in the said vessel, her tackle, apparal and furniture, may be cited to answer the said premises, and all due proceedings being had, that the same may be decreed to be sold and the proceeds distributed according to law,

Therefore, in pursuance of the said monition under the seal of said court to us directed and delivered, we do hereby give notice generally unto all persons having, or pretending to have any right, title or interest therein, and to John Givene, owner and master of said vessel, in spe-cial, to appear before the said court, at the city of Alexandria on the 3rd day of April, 1879, if it be a court day, or else on the next court day thereafter, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to answer the said libel, and to make

their allegations in that behalf.

Dated at Alexandria, the 20th day of February, 1879.

KEMPER & BRENT, ary, 1879. feb 24-2w Proctors.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 25th day of February, 1879.

Martha Chatham, by Samuel H. Lunt, as next friend, complainant, vs. A. B. Crupper, John

Q. A. Crupper. John Dyer and Roberts Dyer, his wife, Ann V. Dyer, Wm. J. Cowing and Matilda Cowing, his wife, Florida F. Crupper, Wm. H. Rawlings and Frances E. Rawlings, his wife, John McGaw and Emily S. McGaw, his wife, Robert P. Crupper and all other persons, if others there are, who are heirs at law of Robert Crupper, late of Alexandria, Va., decessed, and James Chatham, defendants. In

chancery. Memo. The object of this suit is to procure a transfer of the legal title to certain real estate in the city of Alexandria, Va., held by Robert Crupper, deceased, in trust for Mrs. Martha Chatham for the heirs at law of said Crupper, upon whom it devolved at his death, to new trustees, to be appointed by the court.

The defendants, John Dyer and Roberta Dyer, his wife, Ann V. Lyer, Wm. J. Cowing and Matilda Cowing, his wife. Florida F. Crupper, Wm. B. Rawlings and Frances E. Rawlings, his wife, John McGaw and Emily S. McGaw, his wife, Robert P. Crupper and all other persons, if others there are, who are heirs at law of Robert Crupper, late of Alexandria, Va., dec'd., not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly, and the rules of this Court, and it appearance. ing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that said defendants appear here within one month after due publicati this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this or der be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Ga zette, a newspaper published in the city of Al exandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—test: MORTON MARYE, Clerk.

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